Boys' Mysterious Disappearances Explained by Runaways' Hole in the Ground

have been appearing at the Hamilton avenue police station, Brooklyn, to complain of the mysterious disappearance of their sons. For a day or so at a time the boys would be missing and their invariable report on their return home would be, in true boy famiion, "Oh, nowhere."

Policeman John Herter last night dis-Policeman John Herter last night dis-covered "Nowhere." He was standing the printed records of the Government near the corner of Columbia and Lu-will crumble and become unreadable in near the corner of Columbia and Luquer streets when he noticed smoke ascending from the centre of a big lot. With thoughts of smouldering volcanous he gingerly approached and found the smoke coming from under a large piece of tin. He kicked the tin aside and found a hoje from which issued the loud yelps of a dog and then, "sic him-take hold of him, old boy!"

When Herter heard those words he knew it was not the supernatural he had to deal with and he entered the cave and tossed the dog above. He Threat and Ling Troubles are known to all.

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That a dresulful cough, hemorrhages, pain in the chest and shoulders, chills, fewer and night sweets,

It was Edward who dust the hole. He told Herter he spent a month getting the cave into shape for habitation. But he pined for the company of his fellows. His dog. Snap, was all right as far as he went, but Edward wanted someone to smoke cigarettes with him and discuss the marvellous adventures of Wild Will, the Scourge of the Desert. So he formed a band,

the members of which took turns in the members of which took turns in spending a day or two with him.

Edward told Judge Ryan in Children's Court today that he left home because he thought his dad was big enough to shift for himself. The boy's coat was helf burned off his back, and when asked to explain he said that last night while alone in the cave his jacket caught fire from the stove. He was afraid to go outside where he would attract attention, so he fought the blase out alone. His hands and face were somewhat burned.

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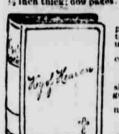
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